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The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd
Chief Clerk and Administrator
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Re: Docket No. 2017-292-WS. Application of Carolina Water Service, Incorporated for
Approval of an Increase in Its Rates for Water and Sewer Services

Dear Ms. Boyd:

In connection with the above referenced docket, Carolina Water Service, Inc. ("CWS") has calculated rates which would result from the ORS adjustments the Company is not contesting and the Company's agreement to assign in legal expenses associated with the condemnation action to a regulatory deferral account. Only sewer service rates are affected, as reflected on the enclosed schedule. The additional uncontested ORS adjustments since the Commission issued Order 2018-345(A) that are reflected in the new proposed sewer rates are as follows:

Amortization of legal expenses

- CWS proposes to allow recovery of \$860,966.64 in legal fees, a reduction of \$137,639.36 in total legal fees (\$78,482.00 for condemnation fees to be deferred until next rate case, \$52,060.00 for expenses and advances related to the condemnation, and \$7,097.36 in adjustments CWS agreed to). This results in a reduction to amortization expense approved in Order 2018-345(A) of \$2,065.

EQ Basin

- ORS proposes to not include \$2,242 relating to grass matting and late fees, and CWS agrees and proposes same adjustment

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CWS will submit the new rates with its proposed order but wanted to make them available to the Commission and the parties as soon as possible.

With best wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Charles L.A. Terreni

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Enclosures: (as stated)

c: Counsel of Record

Carolina Water Service, Inc.
Docket No. 2017-292-WS
SCHEDULE OF CWS PROPOSED RATES AND CHARGES
AFTER REHEARING ON SEPTEMBER 6, 2018

SEWER

Service Territory 1 and 2

(Former customers of Carolina Water Service, Inc., Utilities Services of SC, Inc. and United Utility Companies, Inc.)

Former Customers of Carolina Water Service, Inc.

Monthly Charges – Sewer Collection & Treatment Only

Where sewage collection and treatment are provided through facilities owned and operated by the Utility, the following rates apply:

	<u>Order 2018-345(A)</u>	<u>Rehearing Proposed</u>
Residential - charge per single-family house, condominium, villa, or apartment unit:	\$65.77 per unit	\$65.76 per unit
Mobile Homes:	\$47.94 per unit	\$47.93 per unit
Commercial	\$65.77 per SFE*	\$65.76 per SFE*

Commercial customers are those not included in the residential category above and include, but are not limited to, hotels, stores, restaurants, offices, industry, etc.

Monthly charge – Sewer Collection Only

When sewage is collected by the Utility and transferred to a government body or agency, or other entity for treatment, the Utility's rates are as follows:

Residential – per single-family house, condominium, or apartment unit	\$65.77 per unit	\$65.76 per unit
Commercial	\$65.77 per SFE*	\$65.76 per SFE*
Wholesale Service (Midlands Utility)	\$N/A per SFE*	\$N/A per SFE*
The Village Sewer Collection	\$34.18 per SFE*	\$34.17 per SFE*

* Single Family Equivalent (SFE) shall be determined by using the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control Guidelines for Unit Contributory Loadings for Domestic Wastewater Treatment Facilities -- 25 S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 61-67 Appendix A, as may be amended from time to time. Where applicable, such guidelines shall be used for determination of the appropriate monthly service and tap fee.

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO.: 2017-292-WS

IN RE: Application of Carolina Water Service, Inc.,)
for Approval of an Increase in its Rates for) CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
Water and Sewer Services.)

This is to certify that, I, Carl E. Bell, Paralegal for Terreni Law Firm, LLC, have this date served a copy of the **LETTER WITH SCHEDULE OF RATES** in the above-referenced matter to the person(s) named below by electronic mail:

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